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**Ex Parte**

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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary, Federal Communications Commission  
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**Re: Amendment of Parts 1, 2, 22, 24, 27, 90 and 95 of the Commission's Rules to Improve Wireless Coverage Through the Use of Signal Boosters, WT Docket No. 10-4**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 16, 2012, Tamara Preiss and Andy Lachance of Verizon met with Ruth Milkman, John Leibovitz, Melissa Tye, Joyce Jones, and, via telephone, Roger Noel, of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau to discuss issues in the above-captioned FCC proceeding.

During the meeting, we responded to questions about the need for customers to obtain carrier consent prior to operating consumer signal boosters and how a workable carrier consent requirement might be achieved. Consistent with Verizon's previous filings, we indicated that Verizon would support an item that did not require booster users to obtain affirmative carrier consent, provided that it contains the protections included in proposed rules filed by Verizon and others previously in this docket.<sup>1</sup> We also stated that any carrier consent requirement adopted by the Commission should strike a balance between some carriers' desire to test boosters to ensure they do not cause network problems and manufacturers' desire to obtain carrier consent in a reasonable period of time.

This letter is being filed electronically pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's Rules. Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tamara Preiss".

cc: (via e-mail)

Ruth Milkman  
John Leibovitz

Melissa Tye  
Roger Noel

Joyce Jones

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<sup>1</sup> See Letter from John T. Scott, III, and Russell D. Lukas to Marlene H. Dortch, WT Docket No. 10-4 (filed March 14, 2012)(attaching proposed rules); Letter from Nextivity, Inc., T-Mobile USA, Inc., V-COMM, L.L.C., Verizon Wireless, and Wilson Electronics to Marlene H. Dortch, WT Docket No. 10-4 (filed June 8, 2012)(attaching proposed rules and two proposed consumer booster safe harbors) ("June 8 Ex Parte").